1 2 3 4 5 6 UNITED STATES DISTRICT COURT EASTERN DISTRICT OF WASHINGTON 7 DAMON MALON MORRIS, 8 Plaintiff, NO. CV-12-5065-EFS 9 ORDER DISMISSING COMPLAINT v. 10 WITHOUT PREJUDICE THOMAS C. SMITH, et al., 11 Defendants. 12 13 This matter comes before the Court on Plaintiff Damon Malon Morris's 14 Motion to Voluntarily Dismiss Complaint pursuant to Federal Rule of Civil 15 Procedure 41(a), ECF No. 8. Defendants have not been served in this 16 action. After reviewing the pleadings filed in this matter, the Court 17 finds good cause to grant the motion. 18 Accordingly, IT IS HEREBY ORDERED: 19 1. Plaintiff's Motion to Voluntarily Dismiss Complaint, ECF No. 8, 20 is **GRANTED.** 21 The Complaint, ECF No. $\underline{6}$, is DISMISSED WITHOUT PREJUDICE. The 22 Clerk's Office is directed to CLOSE this case. 23 Although granted the opportunity to do so, Plaintiff did not 24 file a separate motion and affidavit to waive the remaining balance of 25 // 26

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the filing fee as directed. Therefore, Plaintiff still is obliged to pay the filing fee for this action, pursuant to 28 U.S.C. § 1915(b). IT IS SO ORDERED. The District Court Executive is directed to enter this Order and provide a copy to Plaintiff. **DATED** this 31st day of August 2012. S/ Edward F. Shea EDWARD F. SHEA Senior United States District Judge Q:\EFS\Civil\2012\5065.dismiss.lc2.wpd

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